On page 3, line 16, please delete the term "temperature-resistant" and substitute therefor the term --acid-impervious--.

On page 5, lines 3-4, please delete the term "high-temperature tolerant."

On page 5, line 4, immediately after the word "particulate" insert the term -acid impervious at high temperature-.

On page 5 line 7, please delete the term "the temperature tolerance" and substitute therefor the term -below said high temperature-.

On page 5, at each of lines 10 and 16, please delete the term "temperature resistant" and substitute therefor the term --acid-impervious--.

On page 5, line 18, please delete the word "resistant" and substitute therefor the term --açid-impervious--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please amend Claims 11 and 13-15, as follows:

11. (Amended) An acid impervious metal substrate comprising a steel surface having disposed thereon an acid impervious coating comprising a distinct polyimide particulate component and a distinct cured powder adhesive component.

13. (Amended) An acid impervious metal substrate as claimed in Claim 11 wherein the polyimide particulate is [temperature resistant] acid impervious up to about 700°F.